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...LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 10th November, 1882.

Insurances.

of UNDERWRITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.

Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. TO ECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN SHIPPING.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN

Secretary. HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)Tls. 420,000.00 PERMANENT RESERVE Tls. 230,000.00 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND...Tls. 290,553.95

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HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAI. Messrs, RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

Bankers. RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,

parts of the World. UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually dis-

ther Shareholders or not) in proportion to the premia paid by them. RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 13th May, 1882. GENERAL NOTICE.

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THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, EQUAL.\$833,333.33. RESERVE FUND...... \$70,858.27.

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Hongkong, 1st September, 1882.

Intimations.

WANTED.

A N ENGAGEMENT, either as BOOKKEEPER or GENERAL ASSISTANT, by a Gentleman who has a few hours during the day, disengaged In case full office hours is required, arrangements might be made with a few days notice. Good references. Salary no object. Apply to

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MR. A. HAHN'S ANCING CLASSES. HAVE BEEN OPENED Take I Same D. A. Y.

For Terms, &c., apply to A. HAHN. No. 8. Beaconsfield Arcade Hongkong, 1st November, 1882.

Auctions.

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD lying between Bonham Strand and Wing Lok Street, will be offered for Sale by Public Auction, under instructions from the MORTGAGEE, by

the 4th day of December, 1882, at. THREE P.M., at the Premiser, comprising,—
THOSE SEVERAL PIECES or PARCELS of GROUND situate at Victoria, Hongkong, known and Registered in the Land Office as the Remaining Portion of Section A of MARINE LOT No. 1, Section E of Marine

Lot No. 4A. Together with the 11 HOUSES, Nos. 3 to 13, inclusive thereon. The aggregate Yearly Crown Rent of the Premises is \$98.89. The Premises will be Sold subject to the exist-

Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON,

THE AUCTIONEER. Hongkong, 20th November, 1882.

ENGLISH AND CANTON MADE &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY,

Consisting of :-ENGLISH MADE MOROCCO COVERED COUCHES, CHAIRS, WALNUT CENTRE TABLE, CARD TABLE, BLACKWOOD and INLAID TABLES, MIRRORS, FENDERS [457] and FIRE IRONS, DINING TABLE, CUT-LERY, PLATEDWARE, BREAKFAST, DIN-NER and DESSERT SETS, WHATNOTS, IRON SAFE, BRASS and IRON BED-STEADS, MAHOGANY CHEST of DRAWERS and CHAIRS, BOOKCASES, MARBLE-TOP WASHINGSTAND and SET, WARDROBES, LACQUERED PRESSES,

BATH TUB, &c., &c. Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale and the Articles will be on view on TUESDAY, the 5th December.

Hongkong, 30th November, 1882.

For Sale.

F. BLACKHEAD & CO.

GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS, PRAYA CENTRAL

HAVE RECEIVED EX LATEST ARRIVALS. AMERICAN CAST STEEL SHOVELS.

HATCHETS. ENGINEERS' & HOUSEHOLD HAMMERS. PATENT BIT-BRACES. AUGER-BITS.

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MRS. POTT'S PATENT SADIRONS. COOKING STOVES. FAIRBANK'S SCALE

FORCE PUMPS FOR SHIPS' USE. DRILLING MACHINES.

TOOLS. ANVILS, VICES, AND DRILLS COMBINED. ANVILS.

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SIGNAL LAMPS. LIFE BUOYS.

BOTTLE WASHING AND CORKING MACHINES. Sec., Sec., Sec.

SPARKLING SCHARZHOFBERGER FLENSBURG STOCKBEER MARIENTHALER BEER. VEUVE CLICQUOT PONSARDIN CHAMPAGNE.

Hongkong, 7th October, 1882.

Intimations.

MARINE HOUSE QUEEN'S ROAD.

O Clear Old Stock, the following are offered for a short period at greatly reduced rates :-TWO SHILLING NOVELS

THIRTY CENTS EACH.

EMINENT NOVELISTS, BOUND VOLUMES OF ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS AND PUNCH FROM 1864 TO 1878, AT VERY CHEAP PRICES.

Hongkong, 9th October, 1882.

S. MEYERS, Manager

HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES AND CHRONOGRAPHS, CLOCKS OF ALL KINDS, BAROMETERS, THERMOMETERS, ANEROIDS, SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASSES, &c. BY THE BEST MAKERS, AND AT LOW PRICES.

GENTLEMEN'S PARISIAN MADE SHIRTS, SCARVES, AND COLLARS IN THE NEWEST STYLES. FRENCH BOOTS AND SHOES OF BEST QUALITY.

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CROCKERY WARE, TEA AND COFFEE SETS. RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND REVOLVERS. A CHOICE SELECTION OF PINAUD'S BEST PERFUMERY.

Hongkong, 2nd October, 1882. SAYLE & CO.'S SHOWROOMS.

ARE NOW SHEWING EX "RECENT ARRIVALS."

ALL WOOL SCOTCH PLAIDS, AT 45 CENTS PER YARD.

LADIES FUR-LINED CLOAKS FROM \$12 TO \$80 EACH. 1 CLOTH AND MATALASSE DOLMANS, MANTLES, AND JACKETS, IN NEWEST SHAPES.

NOVELTIES DIRECT FROM PARIS IN MOIRE, BROCHE, OTTOMAN, AND SURAT DRESS SILKS. LADIES SILK AND SPUN SILK HOSE IN EVERY COLOUR.

KID GLOVES . -2, 4, 6, 8, 10 BUTTONS. NOVELTIES IN CORSET-LACE, AND CLASP KID GLOVES. AND SECTION OF ICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-INFANTS', CHILDRENS' AND LADIES' BOOTS AND SHOES IN EVERY SIZE.

SAYLE & CO.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 16th November, 1882.

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Roger's Traits and Stories of Scottish People. Romane's Animal Intelligence. Vignoli's Myth and Science. Lownde's Marine Insurance, New ed. Marvin's Russia's Advance Towards India. Trollope's Lord Palmerston. Buckland's Notes & Jottings from Animal Life. Leslie Stephen's Science of Ethics. Kempe's Electric Testing, New.ed. Barne's Bookkeeping. Huxley's Science and Culture. New Art Handbooks.

NEW MUSICI Hongkong, 10th November, 1882.

Meyer's Complete Guide to Chess. CHRISTMAS CARDS I **NEW PHOTOGRAPHS**

For Sale.

TOR SALE AT LESS THAN COST. OWING TO OWNER LEAVING THE COLONY.

with Pole (Breast Plates). 1 Silk-lined RACING SADDLE. RACING WHIPS with Silver Mounts. The above, which are ALL NEW, may

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FOR SALE.

H. MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. QUARTS..... \$22 per Case. PINTS..... \$23 per Casc. MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1882.

HAS FOR SALE GARS of all Brands, Imperiales, Caballeros, Vegueros, Regalias, Londres, Nuevo Habanos of all makes, quality guaranteed. TOHACCOS from the Parisian markets, Meerschaum Pipes,

THE CITY OF MANILA CIGAR STORE.

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JOSE M. BASA. No. 51, B., QUEEN's ROAD, CENTRAL.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1881. [197

For Sale.

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HAS FOR SALE. FINE ASSORTMENT OF WHITE AND RED BURGUNDIES

A Capital AMONTILLADO 38.00 per dozen. Assorted LIQUEURS of the best quality. FRENCH BOOTS and SHOES, PER-FUMERY, &c., &c.

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NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS. SOLE AGENTS [132 for Louis Audemars' Watches; awarded the highest Prizes at every Exhibition; and for Voigtlander and Sohn's CELEBRATED OPERA GLASSES, MARINE GLASSES, AND SPYCLASSES.

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HAVE THIS DAY SOLD to Mr. F. D. GUEDES the GOODWILL, PLANTOMA-CHINERY, &c., of the Business OF GENERAL PRINTERS and BOOKBINDERS hitherto carried on by the under the style of DE SOUZA & Co., and my Interest and Responsibility in the said Firm ceases from this date.

J. J. DE SOUZA. Hongkong, 1st December, 1882.

DAY taken over the Business of Messrs.

DE Souza & Co., which will be carried on under the same name, and respectfully solicit a continuation of the patronage and support of the

F. D. GUEDES. Hongkong, 1st December, 1882. - NOTICE.

R. MAX-CARL-JOHANN-GROTE-has-LVI been Authorized to Sign Our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, 21st November, 1882.

To be Net.

TO LET.

DARSEE VILLA (5 ROOMS), Robinson Road, also A TWO STOREY HOUSE (6 ROOMS in Mosque Junction. Both the above HOUSES have Gas and Water laid on ; and immediate possession can be had.

For Particulars apply to D. NOWROJEE, Hongkong Hotel. Hongkong, 27th November, 1882.

TO LET. 4 OLD BAILEY STREET No. 6 QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL ately occupied by PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

No. 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 1st Novemember, 1882.

STORAGE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to take Goods I con STORAGE at their GODOWNS. Entrance from Praya and Queen's Road Central. TERMS MODERATE.

Apply to ROSE & Co., 31 and 33, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 30th June, 1882.

Intimations.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED, will be held at the Society's Head Office, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 8th day of December, 1882, at THREE O'CLOCK, in the AFTERNOON, when the Sub icined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of November, 1882, will be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION. That the Capital of the Society be increased to TWO MILLIONS FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS by increasing the value of the Existing Shares to \$5,000 per Share. By Order of the Board, DOUGLAS JONES,

Acting Secretary. Dated the 22nd day of November, 1882. [775

I. DA ROZA'S HAIR CUTTING SALOON HAS BEEN REMOVED TO . No. 27, POTTINGER STREET. HAIR-CUTTING in the latest Fashion, Shaving, Shampooing, &c., by experi-

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

enced artistes, and at LOW RATES. RAZORS CAREFULLY RE-SET. Note the address :- No. 27, Pottinger Street. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1882.

TRANSFER DEED with SCRIP attached for 20 LUZON SHARES, being one of two Transfers of the same number of Shares signed by the Hon. F. B. JOHNSON. The finder will oblige by returning it to the Under-signed and the holder of the other 20 Shares by sending them to the Company's Office for Trans-

to be traced. TRANSFER DEED for 5 LUZON SUGAR SHARES in the name of Mr. C. P. CHATER. D. NOWROJEE.

fer to enable the numbers of the missing Shares

Hongkong Hotel. Hongkong, 7th November, 1882.

HOUSE AND LAND BROKER,

AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION AGENT. No. 33. WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882 D. K. GRIFFITH.

MANUFACTURER OF THE LONDON AERATED WATERS 7. BEACONSFIELD ARCADE, (Opposite the City Hall)

Having Purchased the entire Machinery of the late Mr. E. CHASTEL'S SODA WATER FACTORY is now prepared to execute the largest orders ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship for every description of Aerated Waters with promptness and despatch.

SUPERIOR QUALITY G U A R A N T E E D. Consumers are Invited to try those carefully SPARKLING WATERS. THREE DOZEN FOR ONE DOLLAR.

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STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, Persian Gulf Ports, Odessa, and the

THE Company's Steamship "BERENICE," Captain T. Crillovich, will be despatched as above on or about the 4th inst.

MEDITERRANEAN PORTS).

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

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FOR NEW YORK THE 3/3 L. I. I. British Ship

Hongkong, 23rd November, 1882.

"GLOAMING," Densmore, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch,

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.. Hongkong, 7th November, 1882.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. German Ship " MOMMSEN,"

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

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Hongkong, 20th November, 1882.

Mails. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES,

MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE;

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS. THE Steamship

will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 12th December, at

THREE P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full : and same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing.

RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa). within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per cent. from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 per cent. will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 per cent. from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through

fares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

F. E. FOSTER, Hongkong, 23rd November, 1882. ... 193

Consignees.

UNION LINE:

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE, THE Steamship "GALLEY OF LORNE," Captain Pomroy, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees! risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Yokohama, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-MORROW, the 28th instant.

All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-

sented to the Undersigned on or before the 7th

[62 December, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 27th November, 1882, 77 [781 OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY.

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NOVELTIES IN MECHANICAL TOYS

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. CHILDREN'S TEA AND TETE A TETE SETS.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD

Agents, ...

(CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.)

JANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION:

LONDON BRANCH. Messrs. BARING BROTHERS & Co.

68 and 69, Cornhill, E.C. POLICIES granted on MARINE RISKS to all Subject to a charge of 12 per cent. for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the

Hongkong, 10th November, 1882. [743

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Mr. J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer, on

Lot No. 4, Section F of Marine Lot No. 4, and Subsection One of Section A of Marine

ing tenancies thereof. To view a plan of the Premises, and for Solicitors for the Mortgagee,

PUBLIC AUCTION HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

the 6th of December, 1882, at Two P.M., at No. 8. Peddar's Hill the Residence of Licut.-Colonel PALMER, R.E. THE WHOLE OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. G. R. LAMMERT,

CHIPCHANDLERS, STORE-KEEPERS

CHEST LOCKS.

BREAST DRILLS, AUTOM TBORING

HITCHCOCK'S PATENT LAMPS. FAMILY GRINDSTONES.

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LIFE BELTS

TO SPORTSMEN.

I Set of CAPE HARNESS (Brass Mounts) AT MODERATE PRICES.

CHARTS AND BOOKS.

Na. 38, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL [447

Hongkong, and October, 1882.

JEWELLERS No. 46, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL [434] Hongkong, 11th April, 1882.

Intimations.

CHRISTMAS

NEW YEAR CARDS.

SEASON 1882-3.

A. S. WATSON & CO. NSPECTION is Invited of our Collection of CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS which have been carefully Selected in London

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THEY INCLUDE CHROMO LITHOGRAPHS

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NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

It is requested that all communications rela ting to Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., be ad dressed to the "Manager, Hongkong Telegraph" and not to the Editor.

Letters on Editorial matters to be sent to "The and not to individual members of the

Communications intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writers, not necessarily for publication; but as evidence of good faith.

Whilst the columns of the Hongkong Telegraph will always be open for the fair discussion by correspondents of all questions affecting public interests, it must be distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible for opinions thus expressed.

TO ADVERTISERS. Advertisers are requested to forward all notices intended for insertion in that day's issue not later

than THREE O'CLOCK so as not to retard the early publication of the paper. TO SUBSCRIBERS. Arrangements have been made to publish

The Hongkong Telegraph daily at 4 P.M. Subscribers in the central districts who do not receive their copies before FIVE O'CLOCK will oblige by at once communicating with the Manager.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1882.

THERE can now be no doubt whatever as to Sir John Pore Hennessy's successor in the governorship of Hongkong. Reuter's telegram of the 29th ulto, announcing the appointment of Sir Grorge Bowen, has been confirmed by an official wire received this morning by His Excellency the Administrator from the Earl' of KINBERLEY, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies. The present Governor of the Mauritius had, as we stated in our issue of the 29th ulto., expressed a desire to exchange appointments with Governor HENNESSY, so it is to be presumed that Sir George Bowen had a predilection for Hongkong. We are heartily glad that the selection of Her Majesty's Government has fallen on such a distinguished member of the Colonial Service; and have every reason to anticipate, from the antecedents and past experiences of our newly appointed ruler, that Sir George Bowen will prove an efficient and acceptable Governor of this important Colony, A few particulars concerning Governor

HENNESSY's successor may prove interesting. Sir GRORGE FERGUSON, BOWEN, G.C. M.G., the eldest son of the Rev. EDWARD Bowen, a beneficed clergyman in the north of Ireland, born in that country in 1821, was educated at the Charterhouse and Trinity College, Oxford, where he obtained scholarship in 1840, and graduated B.A. as first-class in classics in 1844. In the same year he was elected to a fellowship of Brasenose College, and became a member of Lincoln's Inn. From 1847 to 1851 he held the post of President of the University of Corfu, and was Chief Secretary to the Government of the Ionian Islands from 1854 to 1859: He is the author of "Ithaca in 1850," and of "Mount Athos, Thessaly, and Epirus." "Murray's Handbook of Greece" is believed to have been written by Sir George Bowen, who married, in 1856, the Countess Roma, only surviving daughter of Count Roma, G.C.M.G., then President of the Senate of the Ionian Islands, and was appointed, in 1859, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of heard of, but Alfred's gun business is the wonthe new colony of Queensland, in Australia, comprising the north-eastern portion of the Australian continent. After a succossful administration in Queensland, he was appointed; in Nov. 1867, to succeed Sir George GREY as Governor of New Zeuland and in May, 1873, he was

gazetted Governor of Victoria in succession to Lord CANTERBURY, whose term of office had expired.

From 1873 to 1879, Sir GRORGE BOWEN ruled the destinies of Victoria, and on the expiration of his term there he was appointed to the governorship of the Mauri tius, which position he still holds.

TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, 30th November. THE SUEZ CANAL IMPROVEMENT. The Suez Canal Company intend spending 30,000,000 francs in widening and deepening the

THE NEW GOVERNOR OF HONGKONG His Excellency the Administrator has received a telegram this morning from the Earl of Kimberley, Secretary of State for the Colonies, officially announcing the appointment of Sir George Ferguson Bowen to the governorship of Hongkong.

1st December. THE PARISIAN PRESS AND ENGLAND'S

MADAGASCAR POLICY. The Paris papers attack England bitterly for its jealous attitude in regard to Madagascar.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

An Indian Constable was, fined a dollar or 4 days' imprisonment this morning by Captain Thomsett for assaulting a chair coolie.

AN Emergency meeting of United Royal Arch Chapter, No. 1341, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, this afternoon, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely,

We hear that Mr. Theo has sold his chesnut subscription griffin to the owner of Blunder Blas and Castigator for the sum of One Dollar. The pony, which pulled up lame after a gallop this morning, has been named Outcast.

THE proceedings at the resumed Coroner's in duiry this morning into the cause of the explosion of the boiler of the steam-launch Fellung, is unavoidably crowded out of our to day's issue. We shall give the report in full on

A Sydney contemporary says that Sir George Bowen, the Governor elect of Hongkong, has the same habit that Dickens ascribed to Inspector Bucket in "Bleak House." Whenever he is perplexed, anxious, and in a brown-study, he holds up his fore-finger, and appears to talk to it, as if it were a Familiar Spirit.

WE have very much pleasure in announcing that a meeting will be held in the City Hall at 5 p'clock on Monday afternoon, the 4th instant, for the purpose of passing requisite Rules and Regulations for the Hongkong Artillery Volunteers Corp. All residents who are interested in the Volunteer movement are invited to attend.

Two Chinamen and two Chinawomen were charged this morning before Captain Thomsett with bringing nine Annamese girls into the Colony for an unlawful purpose. The steamship Meli, it appears, put into Hap-i-wan on the 26th ult. through stress of weather, and while there the girls came on board with the defendants and two other women, their passages being paid to Hong kong by the defendants. No complaints were made until arrival here when the girls refused to go ashore with the defendants, claiming they had been kidnapped. The and officer of the Meli Paris. saw them crying and one of the women beat them, apparently trying to induce them to go into the boats alongside. Two of the girls appealed to the 2nd engineer for protection. The case was remanded until Monday at 2 p.m., and the first compradore of the Meli ordered to be brought to the Police Court,

RESIDENTS were considerably exercised about nine o'clock last evening at seeing the sky lit up by a bright reflection for miles around in the direction of Shawki-wan. That a big blaze was in progress somewhere, there could be little doubt, but its precise locality it was not easy to determine. Enquiry has revealed that the conflagration wasamongst the matsheds at Quarry Bay, where Messrs. Butterfield & Swire's new Sugar Refinery is being built. The fire, it appears, originated in a blacksmith's shop, and, favored by the inflammable nature of the materials of the matsheds, quickly extended the area of its destructive operations. A large number of matsheds, as well as a large quantity of firewood, have, we hear, been destroyed, the damage being estimated at \$2,000. This is the second fire which has occurred amongst the matsheds at Quarry Bay, but on the last occasion the damage done was comparatively small.

OF fron men named Krupp there are two in Germany having A. for their sole initial. Both originally belonged to the same firm, and how they became separated forms an interesting story, which has just been told in Paris, where Herr! Aruthur Krupp recently arrived. In 1855 the Krupps, by being thus together, took to casting guns at their factory, and in 1863 made the weapon which took the first prize at the French Exhibition of 1867. Soon after this the firm proposed to Marshal Niel and General Von Molike to cast for both their Governments respectively, an offer which was the cause of the retirement of Arthur Krupp, who founded, thereupon, an iron foundry at Berndorf, in Austria, and left Alfred to conduct the works at Essen. Arthur's foundry, outside of Europe, if often there, is not der of the world, as the statistics will show that it ought to be. The population of the Essen works is 15,700, and the number of boilers and engines is as follows: 429 hoilers, 453 steam on its plucky and determined face-viewing uttergines with a horse-power of 18,500; 82 steam ances on the part of a "liberal press," hammers, and 1,556 furnaces, of which 14 are high furnaces, producing 300,000 tons of steel and 26,000 tons of iron yearly.

A ROMANCE in real life lately occurred in the county Limerick. Some two years ago a Miss Ellard, a lady of high social position, possessing a rental of 10,000% a year, was fired at near Oola, and subsequently received police protection. One of the two sub-contables placed in charge of the lady's person so far improved his opportunities as to woo and win her, and on October 14th the pair left for London to spend their honeymoon

An original sect is reported to exist in Finland, the fundamental principle of which is the sovereign authority of woman in the family. The disciples of the sect-whether, married or living in concubinage—take an oath to submit themselves entirely to their wife or mistress, and to confess to her once a week. On their side the women choose one of their number as sovereign, whose duty it is see that the men reman faithful to their oath, and to punish them if they transgress. There are some villages entirely devoted to this new religion. The only analogy to this sect is to be found in Siberia, where the Purifiers recognise equally the authority of women.

of the Salvation Army. The procession was and scored a couple, supplementing this with them, who had been lately turned out of doors score very rapidly, Bell Irving meanwhile piano, harp, cornets, trombones, drums and fifes, the maidens occasionally executing a war dance.

THE scene is Monte Carlo; time, one morning the sunny South by a tender mother to recruit his strength after the dissipation of the winter season. He arrived the preceding evening, went direct to the roulette table; lost every stiver, and is now on his way to the Post-office to despatch a telegram to his Mamma: Send money; bocket-book lost. On the way back to the hotel, he meets a friend from his native North, borrows 100 fres., goes to the roulette, wins 5,000 fres., and wires home : Don't send money ; pocketbook found. The same evening he tries his luck again, is completely cleaned out, and despatches a final telegram : Send money; pocketbook found, but nothing in it.

CORRESPONDENCE

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"A FREE PRESS."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGRONG TRINGRAPH." SIR,—In a private, or friendly character, I wish to note down a few running comments on general topics as discussed by a "free press," which press is, notwithstanding its freedom, apt to run within very staid grooves. It is like an autumn shower in a parched brake of woodland to find an independent comment; like a break in a sun-cloud when it enlivens and elucidates a vexed guestion, untrammelled by the special advocacy of party.

. There is much of the spice of this tending towards the toning down of vexed questions in places where various nationalities meet amicably together, and give and take in mild conversation, and where an organ of the press is prepared to assert itself by an inspired note or two acquired in the less stale atmosphere of busy towns, or bustling colonies, or in an occasional letter from

Nowadays there is a process of reforming, or rejuvenating the stagnant pools of thought in course of action, yet quite consistent with a conservative mode of philosophic retention of the practical, whilst escaping the drastic purge of Radicalism, Fenianism, or Communistic absurdities. This has to be encouraged. The materials and the appreciatory thought are there, and the audience are even over keen and but too well up to the mark, yet do they flag in attention, like at a dull musical concert.

What a "Sunflower" needs is the warmth of an all-pervading spirit of well sustained genial appreciation for genuine effort, in all branches alike, as in politics (as the highest branch for the general good), in all kinds of Art, and also in the various relations of commercial reciprocity. Such | and had to retire for a well played 14. Neither things are not unattainable. They are at our front door " with hats off, and a complacent bow I but we bow them out, as we would begging letter impostors, because we are too sordid to appreciate their intrinsic and unselfish merits.

In daily life one can meet with such disinterested souls. Why not enrol them in the but too drowsy and word-tied utterances in vogue when recording passing events of momentous import in the Press? The greater Britain has been fairly free of mean things of late; she has had worthy aims, and has gained a few sympathies, and an acknowledgment latterly of disinterested motives for action. Why not record and treasure these up as real gifts?

These utterances of mine would smack of fulsomeness and inward conceit, were it not for the real underlying matter that has called them dencies, because of different nationalities, have largely counteracted vicious party and "Chauvinistic" prejudices. They are the Gegenwart, conducted by a man of most enlightened views, and, better still, world-wide practical experience, and the Temps, which has expressed itself in sound, calm, and dignified declarations throughout our late European troubles. All honor to such dispassionate reflections of public opinion; they should not be passed by, but treasured up to heal old wounds of hyper-sensibility-the bane of social existence. Let each man notethem and thank their authors. A passing notice the notable, but perhaps over favorable articles of Herr von Heinrich Brugsch in the Gegenwart of October 7th, which paper is conducted, I understand, by Herr von Linden. It is by such a "Rundschan," that a prospect is held forth of the world progressing by peaceful means, rather than by baneful and warlike intrigues and jeal-Yours, as ever.

A SUNFLOWER. Canton, 30th November, 1882.

CRICKET.

HONGKONG C.C. V. OFFICERS OF THE ARM AND NAVY.

This interesting match, which has caused

good deal of discussion in cricketing circles, was

commenced on the Cricket Ground yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a fair number of spectators. The weather was everything that could be desired. A capital pitch had been sesecond essay with Travers and Wilson Stebbing lected by our occasional correspondent "The Olo and Porter, as in the first innings; leading off the 'Man ; " but owing to the recent damp weather attack. When the score stood at 8, Stebbing the ground was anything but lively, and all in favor of the bowlers, thus rendering large scores a work of some difficulty. Winning the toss, the wily captain of the home team elected to take the first innings, and sent in Travers and Bell-Irving over costing 9 runs. Dobson had totalled 15 to face the deliveries of Stebbing and Porter, when he was caught by Dormer off Stebbing, "the the last named having been substituted at the last moment for A. Wilson, who was absent, owing to indisposition. Bell-Irving quickly showed he meant business by sending Stebbing's third ball to the fence for 3; but for a time the bowling was too "dead" on the wicket to be GREAT excitement was caused at Reading, the trifled with, and runs came slowly, mostly in other day, by the grand open-air demonstration singles. In Porter's second over, Travers let out headed by eleven girls dressed in the style of 3 in the next over, and a 4 and another 3 in With the addition of another run Bell Irving, in Italian peasants, carrying tambourines, with Stebbing's third essay. The bowling getting hitting round to leg, sent a ball from Stebbing which they accompanied the singing; one of rather loose after a time, Travers increased his into Newington's hands at long stop. Wilson because she joined the Army, caused a great ing a cautious game, quite the reverse of this fully to square leg for 4, the ball pitching inside deal of notice by wearing a large white pina- hard hitter's usual policy. A change of bowling the barracks, he was easily caught by the wicket fore, upon which was written a text of Scripture. was tried, Rice and Lloyd taking a turn with the keeper off the same bowler. Six for 51. Stuart The feeling shown throughout the service was ball, and the score had reached 43, when Irving and Coxon gave some trouble, the former hitting. intense. The singing was accompanied by a gave a chance to Lloyd off Rice, which was accepted, the retiring batsman having contributed splendid hit by Stuart off Stebbing to the boun-14 by careful manipulation. Wilson joined Tra- dary nearly resulted in a serious accident, vers, but their partnership was quickly dissolved, as Bunbury in attempting the catch missed Hedley smartly stumping the latter off Lloyd, his footing and fell headlong into the road. last April. Young Count B. has been sent to with the score at 49 for two tickets. Travers had Fortunately Bunbury's skull is made of sound contributed 29 to the grand total—one four, five material, so he escaped with a severe shaking. threes, three twos and singles—in his usual The fielding at this stage was anything but brildashing style. Hare took the vacant wicket, but liant, Stuart especially being favored with luck, he only added a single when a teaser from the both Stebbing and Dormer missing easy catches left-hander got past his bat, and three wickets were down for the even half century. This his way to Coxon's middle stump, and the hardly looked promising for the Club; however, seventh wicket was down, with the telegraph Stuart and Wilson infused some spirit into the game, until Rice bowled the "Pirate King" for a capitally compiled 11-made up three and four twos-the total now. standing at 62 for four wickets and then thescorers, Rice breaking down his defence when the veteran Hynes, from whom great things the total stood at 77 for nine wickets. Wodewere expected, was unfortunately run after obtaining a leash of singles. Barff was bowled by Porter after scoring four, and six the innings closing for 77 runs, including 6 extras. wickets were down for 79 runs. Wilson and Coxon proved rather troublesome to the bowlers and when the first named was caught and the Club played well together, and it was not bowled by Stebbing, he had contributed a until six wickets were down that the winning hit very useful 19, which included three threes, was made. Hedley and Bunbury were top scorers three twos, &c. Seven for 99, and without any. with 27 and 18 respectively, the former's score addition to the score Coxon was clean bowled including an off drive for 8. The Army and Navy by the Parson for a well played it. After this thus won an exciting match by 4 wickets. the end soon came. Aubert was run out after scoring 5, and Wodehouse at once fell a victim | played a selection of music during the afternoon, to Stebbing, after crediting himself with 6, leaving which was much appreciated by a large con-Dobson to carry out his bat, the total standing at 110, including 7 extras. This was hardly so large a score as might have been looked for from such a powerful batting team; however, as we have already said, the wicket was all in favor of the bowlers. Rice was the most successful bowler for the Officers, his three wickets being obtained at a cost of 15 runs. Stebbing took three

Hedley and Dormer started the batting for the Army and Navy, Barif and Wilson leading off the attack for the opposing side. A bad beginning was made, the naval player retiring after scoring a single, being beaten by a good ball from Wilson, whose peculiar deliveries are more difficult to deal with than one would imagine from the hammer and tongs style of the bowler. Rice was the next comer, and in conjunction with the Singapore "crack" made a determined stand. In Barff's third over, Hedley opened his shoulders and landed one clean out of the ground for 6, and this led to the first bowling change, Hynes relieving Barff, and two overs later, Wilson, whose deliveries were being rather roughly handled by both batsmen, was shunted in favor of Travers. These changes quickly had the desired effect, Hedley falling to a catch by Barff off Hynes after scoring 20, whilst Rice got his leg in the way of a straight one from Trayers Williams nor Stebbing offered much resistance, the former failing to stop a trimmer from the veteran, after totalling 4; and "the Reverend" was only credited with a couple when he returned a ball to the safe hands of Travers, the Services, and when Newington was sent back-"c. Aubert b. Hynes"-for a cipher, quite an interesting study. However, Bunbury. two managed to keep their stumps intact until gun-fire, when the total stood at 63 for 6 wickets. Bunbury having contributed it, and Lane. 5, forth. Two journals, of unfortunately rival ten- The Band of the Buffs played a well selected musical programme during the course of the afternoon; an addition to the sport which was attendance of spectators.

wickets for 36 runs, Lloyd one for 18, and Porter

one for 34.

(not out) 5 facing the onslaughts of Hynes and the former gentleman to Miss Blanche Evylyn than was the case yesterday, and run getting of Mr. Birch to Miss Margaret Nevin on the 8th much easier. Both batsmen got well set, and instant, at the Cathedral. in the London Times directed my attention to runs came rapidly until Bunbury was caught Hynes, having added 10 to his overnight score, term disrespectfully) champions having their Lane played good cricket, and when caught by laurels wrested from them. Irving off Wilson had increased his total to 19. Chlarini's Circus arrived here on the 3rd sprinter foolishly ran himself out after scoring It. not been so remunerative as the management only six runs were required to equal the Club's | could desire. | Signor Chiarini's eyesight, about score. Lloyd was last man in, and played which so much newspaper and other gossip has very steadily until the total reached 120, been affeat, has greatly improved and is still im-

three for 42, four for 42, five for 46, six for 50, seven and eight for 88, nine for 104, and ten for 120. Travers had the best bowling record, his three wickets costing only at runs, Hynes and Wilson for the same number of wickets having a debit against them of 34 and 35 respectively.

In a minority of 10 the Club commenced their-

clean bowled Travers, and with the next ball' lowered the stumps of the redoubtable Hynes. Wilson and Dobson made a bit of a stand, the last named handling Stebbing rather roughly, one Reverend" having secured the whole of the three wickets at an expense of 17 runs. Three for 31. Barff was the next batsman, and quickly got to work by driving Rice, who had just previously taken Porter's place, for 4; Wilson, who up to this time had been illat ease with the bowling, driving Stebbing in the following over to the fence for 3. Barff was then clean bowled by. Rice, and four wickets were down for 43 runs. was the next to go, as after sending Rice beautiout vigorously after, once breaking the ice. A in one over of Rice's. Eventually Porter found board showing 74 runs. Stuart's time had also come, as he was smartly taken in the slips by Rice in Porter's next over, his 15 having been obtained very luckily. Aubert did not trouble out house was last man, but he was very cleverly caught by Bunbury off Rice without scoring,

With only 68 to get to win the task set the Army and Navy seemed an easy one; however,

The Band of the French flagship Victorieuse course of spectators.

The following are the scores:

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HONGKONG CRIC	
Mr. A. K. Travers, st. Hedley,	SECOND INNINGS.
b Lloyd Mr. J. Bell-Irving, c Lloyd	b Stabbing
b Rice Mr. F. H. O. Wilson, c and b	cNewlogton, bStebbing 1
Stebbing.	c Hedley, b Rice
Mr. C. U. Stuant, b Rice 21	c Rice, b Porter
Mr. W. Hynes, run out	b Stebbing.
Mr. F. B. Anbert, run out	b Porter 7
Mr. H. E. Wodshouse, b Steb-	
Mr. W. H. Debson, not out	c Dormer, b Stabbing, 15
	Extras 6
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OFFICERS OF THE AR!	YVANDYNAVY.

lout, R. H. S. Hedley, R.R., c. Barff, B. Hynes Jout. C. J. Dormer, R.N., H. G. Rice, D.A.C.G., I.b.w. Mr. F. O. H. Williams, R.N., Ray. F. C. Stebbing, R.N., c and b Travers . Lieut, V. Busbury, Buffs, c Hars, C Travers, b Bard' ... Capt. Newington, R.M.L.I. Aubert, b Hynes E Irv. Lieut. H. St. D. Jarrett, run out 21 b Wilson SINGAPORE.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

SINGAPORE, 19th November, Altogether, Singapore cannot be called a du place, considering the amount of amusements, Prospects at this stage looked rather gloomy for recreation and other excitements which we have had here during the past fortnight,-Races, Race Ball, Pashionable Marriages, Circus, Parsee Hedley's amiable expression of countenance was Theatre, Libil cast, Newspaper Contempt of Court, Masonic presentations, Debating Society, and Lane were not so easily got rid of, and these | Concerts, New Inventions, Collision at Sea, Hat Snatching, and bad dollars. There ! Mr. Editor, Readings" will be given at the Tanglin Barracks you have a promiscuous assortment to choose on the gand instant; and pick from-from the libel case of the Strafts it rather difficult to know where to begin.

However, here goes ! Of society news, the marriages of Captain evidently greatly appreciated, judging by the Henry Trumard, nide-de-camp to Ha E. the Governor, and Mr. E. W. Birch, Clerk to the Legis-Play was resumed this morning shortly after, lative Council, are to be chronicled. The mar-II o'clock, by Bunbury (not out) II and Lane riages immediately followed one another; that of Travers. The ground was in far better order Lewis taking place on the 7th, and the marriage

A ten days' handicap at Lawn Tennis here by Hare off Wilson, who had previously relieved | resulted in the Singapore psuedo (I don't use the

When Porter and and Jarrett became associated linstant; they have been performing here over or a majority of 10, when a good ball from proving though I fear the Signer will be perma humber of persons being present.

Travers settled Lloyd, leaving Porter to carry nently deterred from giving any personal attenout his bat for an exceedingly useful innings. tion to the show himself. The Circus has greatly The wickets fell as follows :- one for 3, two for 32, improved its orchestra by the addition of Herr Harry Von der Mehden, late of the Tourists', while, on the other hand, the Company is about to sustain a great loss in the withdrawal of the clever Faust Family, whose engagement terminates at the close of the present season at this

From a semi-official source I hear that it is a positive fact that H. E. Sir John Pope Hennessy relieves Sir Arthur Kennedy as Governor of Queensland, while Sir George Ferguson Bowen takes Sir John Pope Hennessy's place as Governor of your Colony.

Here, we are in the dark as to who is to succced H. E. Sir Fred. A. Weld, who goes home in April next, as Governor of the Straits Settlements. His Honor the Chief Justice, Sir Thos. A. Sidgreaves, goes home also very shortly, and the only wish of the residents here is that we may get another Judge like him for Chief Justice. The Hon. Cecil C. Smith, our Colonial Secretary, will, on dit, shortly go home to receive a richly carned position as Governor.

Apropos of Government dignituries, I: might mention a few words about the Government itself at large, Let, the Legislative body and their doings in connection with certain Land Improvements (?). A certain portion of ground was set apart by the Government, in perpetuity, to be used solely and wholely as a public garden; it is situated not a hundred miles away from the present Central Police Station and Magistrates' Courts, and one of our most influential and wealthy Chinese residents very generously laid, the garden out and encircled it with a very tasteful fron railing, and for the past few years maintained it at his own expense. This, however, did not satisfy the Government, who, not regarding the grant in perpetuity as a holy one, have made a great hole in the land for the purpose of erecting new Magistrates' Courts thereon. Pardon the puns, as it was by the merest chance that I got hold of them (?). There are a few more items to which the above may be closely assimilated, yet if I evade any further into the subject I might drown, and, although I be of light weight, I might, waif a long time before I got out of the theme at all. Um I yea! verily I and so on. Q. S.

The Art Club has had some very pleasant reunions, and what pictures and music ! The club has turned out a thorough success in every

During the month the Masonic Craft have been far from idle. A very handsome jewel was presented to Bro. Dr. N. B. Dennys by his lodge St. George for his services as W. M. during the past year. The election of officers for the Lodge Zetland in the East took place the other day, when Bro. J. P. Beale was elected .W. M. for the ensuing year. The annual banquet which usually takes place on St. John's day is to be replaced, on dit, by a ball, and to-night a grand Masonic Amateur Dramatic performance in aid of the Local Charitles takes place at the Town Hall.

En passant, the presentation to Dr. Dennys calls to my mind the fact that the learned Doctor's Patent Paint has been taken up by a joint stock Limited Liability Company, and ois dit prospectuses will be circulated in a very few days. I cannot give you the exact amount of the number of shares to be issued. but I know positively that over twenty-five thousand dollars' worth of scrip has been already applied for, and upon the issuing of the prospectuses, as much more capital will be forthcoming; yet, I am inclined to believe Hongkong will not be left out in the cold should she apply for shares, which I have not the slightest doubt she will do, seeing that within a year the article has returned to its projectors and promoters a very heavy interest upon the capital invested.

Another invention, also connected with shipping, is on the tapis in our inventive port. Messrs, Cowie and Fulton, two of our local engineering celebritles, have patented a new means of propulsion for steamers. The new invention consists of two feathering paddles on either side of the vessel, very much after the manner in which the paddles of a cance are used, and the engine work attached thereto is represented as being much simpler than the present engines now in use, and as taking up much less space. The nominal capital of the company is \$600,000, but a first issue of only 24 per cent, thereof, or \$15,000 in 150 shares, has been made, in order to construct an experimental steam launch whereby the merits of the invention can be tested. Close upon 100 shares have already been subscribed, and operations for the construction of an experimental launch are to be commenced at once. I enclose a prospectus for perusal or publication.

More innovations! Who will say now that Singapore is in the background? The tramway. bill read and passed within a month, and now more light by means of electricity afoot. The soldiers, too, have not been idle. A dra-

matic performance is to take place shortly at Fort Canning Theatre, while a series of "Penny

A gang of counterfeiters was captured a few Both Hynes and Travers bowled in capital form. Intelligence down to bad dollars, and it makes days ago, with all their paraphernalis. We hope the scoundrels will get their deserts, for the very atmosphere is redolent of bad dollars. From the quantity of lats suntched during the past fortnight, and the number of new hats which appeared on the race-course during the race days one would think that there had been a panic in the hat trade. Scores of people have lost their sun and dew protectors during the past fortnight. and not one of the hat-snatching miscreants has yet been caught. I hope the first one caught red banded will be made an example of, for travellife about our roads bare-headed, makes a man like a fool" There is to be a municipal election on the to proximo, and a lively time as to who is to fill the vacant scat is promised, several candidates be ing on the boards for election. An arbitration court of enquiry was held a few days ago in the presence of the United States Consul; Major A. G. Studer, and naval assessors. to investigate the collision between H. M.S. the game got very exciting, and when the since, but I fear their present season has Fly and the American Ship Sea Week, the result of which was that the Fly was held culpa-

ble for all costs of the damage arising from the

The Race Ball at the Town Hall came

off with great telat on Friday last quite a large

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Beautiful weather and the prospect of some interesting "powing" attracted quite a large concours of spectators to the race enclosure this morning, most of our local sportsmen arriving on the scene of action shortly afterday light. Theracecourse is now beginning to assume quite a business-like appearance; the long array of mat-shed stables forcibly suggesting the exciting "doings" which will create so much local interest from nowuntil the end of February. The stables, it may be noted, are far more numerous than has previously been the case in the history of Hongkong racing, and this fact must be regarded as a very promising prospect of the forthcoming races attracting larger fields than usual, and consequently providing better competition and more exciting

racing or any other sort. It has always seemed certain duties and responsibilities, whether for position, honor, or hire, they are bound to perform the same satisfactorily as a mere matter of principle, apart altogether from and to give these opinions such careful consideration as their merits may warrant, no matter from what source they may emanate. There is a race of blockheads in the world-even in the little world of Hongkong-persons whose ideas, not merely on racing, but on all other branches of sport, and also in the general affairs of everyday life, run in the narrow groove of priggish conservatism, allied to a ludicrous belief in their own high-toned infallibility; and who, as worshippers of a slightly amended social system of old world feudalism, regard with a perfectly assumed air of lofty contempt and condescension, the views of men better born, better bred, and with ten times more practical experience of the world and its ways than themselves, simply because such views are of advanced, progressive, or as they in their sublime wisdom term it, radical tendencies, and are brought forward independently, and in defiance of the worn-out traditions of a self-constituted autocracy. The rags and tatters of this bare-boned exclusiveness—so far as the Hongkong Race Fund is concerned—have been rudely shaken to their very foundations by the sturdy independence and thorough self-reliance of a Clerk of the Course who not only dares to think for himself, but has the courage to carry out his own ideas, irrespective of what was the custom in "the

good old times The Hongkong race course and training track have never, in modern times, been in nearly such good condition as during the present season. The care and practical attention bestowed on the course throughout the past summer have already borne good fruit. Notwithstanding the small quantity of rain that has fallen during the Autumn, and the tendency the course has to become hard and unyielding, I have not heard a single complaint as to the state of the track this season, a very different tale from the experiences of previous years. And for all this we are indebted to Mr. Tripp's interest in a proper performance of his multifarious and onerous duties. From a close examination of the condition of the racing track, I feel certain that, with favorable weather, faster times will be recorded at our next meeting than have ever previously been chronicled. I also feel certain that we shall have few cases of lameness directly attributable to the state of the course. The other arrangements made by the C. C. are 'equally an improvement on olden times; and even although the steeplechases should, as appears probable, prove a fiasco, the true sportsmen of the colony will still have reason to thank Mr. Tripp, for having provided in the resuscitated steeplechase course a means for much genuine amusement during the summer

Visitors to the course this morning who expected to witness some interesting work gone through, were not disappointed, as quite a number of the ponies in training were put through their facings. I can best describe the training operations by dealing separately with the various opposing stables. The Kerfoot confederacy's team, under the eagle eye of that far-seeing and industrious votary of sport, the genial, humourous, and ubiquitous MacOniodds of that Ilk, were, as usual, the first on the course, Arabi Bey and Wild Dash finishing up their morning's work with a smart canter of about three furlongs, just as the grey dawn came weather oc bococ oc re rm be op creeping from behind the high bills to enliven proceedings. Methusalem is still on the sick list; but Nebuchednezzar was sent smartly along the straight at his best pace, However, I found metal more attractive in the sturdy dun, Amethyst, and the shapely grey Salmanassar, both dangerous candidates for the Canton Cup. The third in the Shanghai Maidens is a beautiful mover, and although not extended at full speed this morning, he skimmed over the ground La swallow ... I may here venture the opinion that if action goes for anything, and may be taken as a safe indication of racing ability, the subscription griffin Arabi Bey must stand at least a good outside chance for the Hongkong Derby.

The Robinson Road stable was, as usual, strongly represented, Mr. Gordon's choice collec-

tion of "screws" and cripples presenting an imposing spectacle that would have made my friend Lord Charles half mad with envy. They put me strongly in mind of many happydays, long ago, his lordship and I have spent on the Heath-Hampstead not Newmarket. Bobbie Burns and Dragic Bower cantered singly about three quarters of a mile, and the same distance was afterwards covered by Lord of the Isles, Strathisla, Bothwell and Darnley. The pace in each instance was about half speed, and Strathisla showed to most advantage; but this "ugly customer" was always a gay deceiver, invariably failing on the racecourse to approach his training ground performances. Dauntless galloped half a mile at a steady pace, moving. faultlessly as usual. The ancient Infatuation was treated to a short spell of steeplechasing, ridden by a well known naval cross-country performer, who used to know his way right well over I am not in the habit of "buttering" officials, the Forfarshire stone walls and ditches, and notwithstanding one mishap in the treacherous, to me that if gentlemen agree to undertake swampy ground, the spotted moke cleared the various obstacles like an experienced steeple-

The numerically powerful string of ponics other and more practical reasons. Now, al- belonging to the American gentleman, who is though the Clerk of the Course of the Hong- facetiously alluded to as "The Marquis," did kong Race Fund has done nothing entitling him good work; a grey griffin in this team, only to fulsome and extravagant praises, it is only fair lately arrived from the north, moved well in a to give credit where it is due, and to point out short canter, and a lengthy chesnut, also a that the antiquated obstructiveness which was a strange griffin, has a most promising appearance. distinguishing characteristic of Mr. Tripp's pre- Esperance and El Dorado galloped down the decessors (possibly because they had no voice in straight at their best pace; the latter, although the matter), has no place in that gentleman's a small pony, moves in good form, but the other official programme. Not only is Mr. Tripp the is fearfully infirm, and went "dotty." Wild most attentive to his duties of all the Clerks of Fang was indulged with a short canter; but this the Course who have preceded him (for a good splendid pony does not show to advantage in many years at all events), but he is also alike the his slow paces. Astonisher galloped, but I most practical and the most sensible. Our did not particularly observe him; anyhow he worthy C. C. may have some little foibles-who is perfectly useless for racing purposes if aphas not (?)—but he is always amenable to rea- pearance may be relied on. The two subscripson, and never refuses to listen to opinions on tion griffins were sent along at their best pace; matters connected with racing in all its branches, the spotted one is the better of the pair, but he possesses "a leg."

> Mr. Paul had a series of "pows" with the subscription griffins in his stable, which bore some resemblance to a weeding out of uscless cattle. Mr. Mody's white, ridden by the skilfu "Horse," made rings round Mr. Paul's white there was little to choose between Mr. Sassoon's brown and Mr. "Paul's dun; and then, after an exciting race, Mr. Bell's white cleaned out both the Banker's dark grey and Mr. Theo's chesnut, thus apparently extinguishing the prospects of both these good looking ponies. Mr. Sassoon' dun cantered by himself; but not in very good form. Tornado (late Wild Wave) trotted, Mr. Hockey's skewbald also being confined to a long bout of slow exercise.

Malcriado had a sharp gallop by himself Kelpie and Dutch Oven in the same stable finishing up with a slow canter the length of the straight. Domino Noir, Gold Mohur, Castigator and Blunder Blas were limited to trotting exercise, as were Hazel, and one or two others. The two Ewo griffins cantered as fast as they could, a not very high rate of speed it must be.

AN OLD SPORTSMAN. Hongkong, 2nd December, 1882.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL

The steamers Lennox and Japan, with the next Indian mail. left Calcutta on the 16th ultimo, and may be expected here on or about the 2nd

THE FRENCH MAIL The M. M. steamer Ava, with the next French mail, left Saigon at 4 p.m., on the 30th ultimo, and may be expected here on or about the 3rd

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. and O. steamer Oceanic, with the next American mail, left San Francisco on the

11th ultimo, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 10th instant.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The steamer Minard Castle left Singapore for this port on the 29th ultimo, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 7th in-

The N. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Camorta left Batavia on the 1st instant, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 17th.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL

REGISTER. THIS DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

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Commercial.

THIS DAY.

Banks are again playing the leading rôle in the interesting drama of Stock Exchange speculation. As soon as there was "a gathering of the clans" this morning, it became evident that something was on the move, and what that something was did not long remain a secret. The demand for Banks soon became general along the whole line-our recent war correspondence and experiences have got us into a habit of using military expressions and metaphors which, we trust, will not prove altogether unintelligible to those believers in our acumen (so far as share business is concerned) who regard these comments of ours in the light of "a guide, philosopher and friend "-and buyers and sellers in numerous instances came to terms directly. First at 162 per cent; premium, and afterwards at 163 a fairly large cash business was arranged; and on time, at 165 for December 31st, important transactions were booked. When our report left, the stock was firm at 163, cash, with buyers at the rate. The business in other stocks was not of special consequence. Canton Insurances were in request at 110-a slight increase on former quotation-but we heard of no actual sales at that, or any other figure. Docks and Steamboats remain nominally at annexed quotations. Luzons are slightly firmer, a few shares being wanted at 113 for cash. Inquiries have been made after Ices at 165; but there does not appear to be any shares on the market at that rate. 4 o'clock p.m.

Since noon further heavy transactions in Banks have taken place at 165 per cent. premium, for eash, and 166 for the end of the year, the stock leaving off very firm at both these rates. Nothing in other stocks came under our notice.

Hongkong and Shangliai Bank-165 per cent premium, sales. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$1,750 per share, buyers.

China Traders' Insurance Company-\$1,550 per share, sellers. North China Insurance—Tls. 1,225 per share. Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$110 per share, buyers.

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Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-54 per cent, premium. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. -- \$31 per share premium, sellers.

Hongkong Gas Company-\$80 per share. Hongkong Hotel Company-\$110 per share. Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Li-· mited-1 per cent, premium.

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$195 China Sugar Relining Company (Debentures)-3

per cent, premium, Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$113 per share, buyers.

Hongkong Ice Company \$165 per share, buyers. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$60 per share.

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ON LONDON.—Bank, T. T.3/71 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight......3/7? Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight3/81 Credits, at 4 months' sight......3/81 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' ...

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(PROM MESSES, FALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER). YESTERDAY.

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CARMELITA & IDA, German bark, 438, E. G. Retel, 1st December,-Whampon 30th Nov., General. Ed. Schellhass & Co. FANAIS, French steamer, 1,750, Drujon, 1st Dec., -Yokohama 25th Nov., General.-Messageries Maritimes.

MELI, Chinese steamer, 472, C. R. Null, 1st Dec.,
—Haiphong, Pakhoi, and Hoihow 29th
Nov., General.—C. M. S. N. Co. KWANGTUNG, British steamer, 674, M. Young, 2nd Dec., Foochow 28th November, Amoy

29th, and Swatow 1st December, General .-D. Lapraik & Co. LORNE, British steamer, 1,034, Wm. Hunter, 2nd

Dec.,-Swatow 1st December, General.-SINDH, French steamer, 3,198, Lequerre, 2nd Dec.,—Shanghai 30th Nov., General.— Messageries Maritimes,

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE Vangtsse, British steamer, for Shanghai, City of Peking, American steamer, for Yokohama and San Francisco. Gleniffer, British steamer, for Manila. China, German steamer, for Swatow.

Namoa, British steamer, for Swatow, &c.

November 2, Dale, British str., for Bangkok December 2, Diamante, British str., for Amoy and Manila.

December 2, Thales, British str., for Swatow. December 2, City of Peking, American str., for Yokohama and San Francisco. December 2, Yangtsze, British str., for Shanghai.

December 2, Hayswater, British str., for Salgon. December 2, Agnes Muir, British bark, for

December 2, Solveig, Norw. bark, for Saigon. PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Tanais, str., from Yokohama.—Messrs. Battisto Imberti and Kosimaya Tsunckitchi, for Naples. For Marseilles .- Mr. B. Gualini. Per Meli, str., from Haiphong .- 65 Chinese.

Per Awangiung, str., from Foochow, &c .-Captain Hon. H. W. Hope, and 67 Chinese. Per Lorne, str., from Swatow. -627 Chinese for Singapore

Per Sindh, str., from Shanghai.-Sir Walter Medhurst and servant, His Excellency Rodriguez, Mrs. Waldmann, Messrs. Shu and 4 servants, and J. Meyer, and 9 Chinese, for Hongkong. For Naples.-Mr. de Butzow (Russian Minister). For Marseilles.-Mr. and Mrs. Ta Ko Shi Ma and 6 servants, and Mr. R. P. De-

Per City of Peking, str., for San Francisco.a European and 4 Chinese. For Panama. 7 Chinese. For Liverpool.-Mr. J. H. Fox, R.N. Per Vangisse, str., for Shanghai.-2 Europeans and 17 Chinese.

REPORTS.

The Chinese steamship Meli reports from Haiphong. Pakhoi, and Hoihow on the 29th ultimo. Had strong N.E. winds and high sea leaving Hollow. At 2 p.m. on the 29th, passed a Chinese junk, bottom up, drifting on to North Bank, East, Hainan Straits; thence had moderate N. Easterly winds and fine weather to port.

The British steamship Kwangtung reports left Foodhow on the 28th November, Amoy on the 20th, and Swatow on the 1st instant. From Foochow to Swatow experienced moderate monsoon. From Swatow to port had light Northerly winds and fine weather throughout the passage, In Foochow the steamship Hae-shin. In Amoy the steamships Cheang Hock Kian and Carnarwonshire. In Swatow the steamships Kwongsang, Sec-wo, Miramar, Fei-lung, Atalanta, Mei-foo, Yeh-sin, Chinese revenue cruiser Lingfeng and German corvette Elizabeth.

VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN Bellerophon Shanghai Oct. Glaucus (s.)Shanghai.....Oct. Aberdeen (s.)Shanghai......Oct. Flintshire (s.)JapanOct. Nyl Ghau.....Oct. 1 CenturionOct. 1

VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date). FrederikePenarthJune 28 IquiqueLiverpool......June 20

Marianne CardiffJuly 12 C. B. HazeltineNew YorkJuly 12 B. F. WatsonNew YorkJuly 25 KhorassanAntwerpAug. 24 Marie Hamburg Sept. Nieuwe Waterweg Hamburg Sept. FlucilinSunderland Sept. WeserCardiff......Sept. B. P. ChencyCardiff......Sept. NapierAntwerpSept. Mary Whitridge New York Sept. 12 Phoenix Hamburg Sept. 17 DeutschlandPenarthSept. 25 Emma T. Crowell New York Oct. DorotheaCardiffOct. Whampoa (s.)... Glasgow AdolphOct Minard Castle (s.) LondonOct 17

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ARABIC, British steamer, 2,787, W. G. Pearne, R.N.R., 27th Nov., -San Francisco 31st October, and Yokohama 22nd November, General .- O. & O. S. S. Co. BERENICE, Austro-Hungarian steamer, 2,041, P.

Crillovich, 1st Dec.,-Trieste 1st October, and Singapore 22nd November, General.—
Melchers & Co.

1st Dec.,—Saigon 24th Nov., General.—Bun

Fat Hong. CONSOLATION, British steamer, 766, W. B. Lind-

say, 31st October,-Bangkok 23rd October, Rice and General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. -(Kowloon Dock.) CRUSADER, British steamer, 647, T. Rowin, 13th November, -Saigon 7th November, Rice. -

Chong Wo Cheang. EASINGTON, British steamer, 1,137, John G. Greig, 23rd Nov., -Bangkok 11th Nov., Rice and General. - Master. EMUY, Spanish steamer, 314, Ortuzar, 28th Nov.,

-Manila 24th November, General, -Remedios & Co. ESMERALDA, British steamer, 395, R. Talbot, 30th Nov.,-Manila 27th November, Sugar.

-Russell & Co. FAME, British steamer, 117, Stopani, (tug plying)
Hongkong and Whampea Dock Co. FERNTOWER, British steamer, 700, Keller, 27th Nov., Saigon 20th Nov., Rice. Chinese. FOKIEN, British steamer, 509, Abbott, 30th Nov., Tamsui 28th November, and Amoy 20th, General - D. Lapraik & Co.

HONGKONG-STRAMERS.

(Continued). GLENIFFER, French steamer, 1,601, G. Benoit 26th Nov.—Salgon 19th Nov., Rice and General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co. HONGKONG, British steamer, 67, April 14th,-Kwok Acheong & Sons. KEELUNG, British steamer, 919, Schultze, 1st

NAMOA, British steamer, 862, Geo. Westoby, 28th November, -Foochow 24th Nov., Amoy

25th, and Swatow 27th, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. NELSON, British steamer, 894, Thorn, 1st Dec.,
—Bangkok 19th November, Rice.—Geo. R. Stevens & Co.

ODIN, Norwegian steamer, 959, Sorensen, 19th Nov.,—Swatow 18th Nov., General.—C. M. S. N. Co.—Aberdeen Dock. REMUS, British steamer, 652, Hill, 26th Nov.,
—Manila 22nd Nov., General.—Dunn, Mel-

byc & Co. SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden, Nov. 24th,-China Traders' Insurance Co. SHUN-ON, Annamite steamer, 136, W. Blumenberg, 20th Nov.,—Touron 11th Nov., Bal-last.—Shun Woo Yuen. TANNADICE, British steamer, 2,000, S. G. Green,

28th Nov.,—Sydney 4th November, General.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. Volga, French steamer, 1,049, de Temple, 20th Nov.,—Yokohama 13th Nov., General.— Messageries Maritimes.—Kowloon Dock. YOTTUNG, British steamer, 286, H. Kennett, June 23rd, Quangal 19th June, General. Kwok Acheong & Sons.

SAILING VESSELS.

ANDREAS, German bark, 423, F. Hoyer, 27th November,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans. -Siemssen & Co.

ANNA BERTHA, German bark, 480, Krause, 27th November,-Newchwang 14th Nov., Beans. —Siemssen & Co. ASIA, German schooner, 380, C. Haack, 30th Nov.,-Cheloo 22nd Nov., General.-Wieler

BONITO, German bark, 524, H. Haase, 14th Nov.,-Newchwang 4th Nov., Beans.-Wieler & Co.

Marden, 18th November,-Newchwang 7th November, Beans and General.—Wieler CENTAUR, German bark, 468, Offerson, 24th November,-Newchwang 12th Nov., Beans.

---Wieler & Co. CHRISTIAN, German schooner, 250, C. Kossow, 8th November,-Newchwang 25th October, Beans.—Wieler & Co.

C. RODBERTUS, German bark, 566, H. Schultz, Spark, British steamer, 140.-Hongkong, Can-28th Nov., -Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans. CLARA, German bark, 419, T. Lentig, 30th Nov., -Amoy 28th November, Beans.-Melchers

CONQUEST, American bark, 516, Carins, 20th Nov.,-Newcastle 22nd Sept., Coal.-Ed, Schellhass & Co. COURTER, British bark, 320, Bartlett, 8th Nov., -Newchwang 19th October, Beans.-Ed. Schellhass & Co.

F. Sargent, American ship, 1,704, D. H. Atherton, 21st November,-Cardiff 23rd June, Coals.—Borneo Co. Limited. DORA, German ship, 1,259, H. Meyer, 22nd November, - Cardiff, 1st July, Coal, - Mel-

chers & Co. ELLA S. THAYER, American ship, 1,098, Davis, 22nd October,-put back.-Russell & Co. ERIN'S ISLE, British ship, 1,798, J. Fleming, August 20th,-Cardiff 22nd April, Coal.-

Gibb, Livingston & Co. RL KONIG, German bark, 456, A. Naurch, 27th Nov.,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans.-Siemssen & Co. FANO, Danish brig, 227, M. N. Mortensen, 27th

Nov.,-Cheloo 20th Nov., Beans and Gencral.—Ed. Schellhass & Co. FERDINAND, German bark, 416, Westergaard, 21st November,-Newchwang 10th Nov. Beans.-Wieler & Co.

FRANCES & AMANDA, Ger. bark, 370, H. Borgward, 23th Nov.,-Newchwang 17th Nov., Beans,-Wieler & Co. FRIEDERIKE, German ship, 1,398, F. Wiericks, 6th November,-Cardiff 29th June, Coals.

-Melchers & Co. GLOAMING, British ship, 1,490. Densmore, 18th October,—New York 2nd June, Kerosine Oil.—Russell & Co. HAMMONIA, German bark, 408; Weller, 21st

November,-Newchwang 9th Nov., and Amoy 20th, Beans, -Chinese. HELENS, British bark, 433, J. Inkster, 28th Nov., -Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans .- Melchers & Co.

HIERONYMUS, German bark, 425, M. Ipland, 19th November,-Newchwang oth Nov., Beans.-Wieler & Co. H. UPMANN, German bark, 427, H. G. Weber, E. Schellhass & Co.

INCEBURG, German bark, 386, H. Ipland, 21st November,-Newchwang-10th-November-General,-Captain, JENNIE HARKNESS, American bark, 1,373, Amsbury, 27th October,-Newcastle, N.S.W.,

5th September, Coals.-Adamson, Bell & JUNO, German bark, 517, H. C. Breckwoldt, 29th Nov.,-Hamburg 22nd July, General.

-Melchers & Co. KRISTINA NU SSON, American brig. 270, T. E Thomson, 1st Dec.,-Newchwang, and Amoy 29th, Beans.—Russell & Co. Sarpedon (s.)LiverpoolOct. 17 MALVINA, German bark, 479, H. Klinge, 26th

Nov.,-Newchwang Isth Nov., Beans.-Wieler & Co. M. A. DIXON, British bark, 415, F. Cooke, 30th

Nov.,-Newchwang 12th Nov., Beans -Ed. Schellhass & Co. MARINA, Brit. bark, 664, Langlois, October 13th, -London 20th April, General.-Adamson,

METEOR, German bark, 594, T. Hortsmann, 24th October,—New York 17th May, Kerosine Oil.-Melchers & Co. MOMMUSEN, German ship, 1,250, A. R. Wielms,

September 29th-Cardiff 11th May, Coals. Melchers & Co. NEW PATNA (bottom) per chest, \$5472 | CAMELOT, British steamer, 1,049, James Boor, N. BOYNTON, American bark, 1,065, Wm. E. | Cremona, American bark, 608 (Gove)-Frazar Nasson, October 11th,-New York 4th May,

Petroleum.-D. Lapraik & Co. NONPAREIL, British bark, 399, E. Finlayson, 9th November,-Newchwang 30th Oct., Beans. Chong Woo.

ORIENT, German bark, 461, W. G. Roder, 1st December,-Amoy. 29th November, Beans. -Ed. Schellhass & Co. PRINTEMPS, French bark, 357, F. Gaillard, 30th

Nov., -Keelung 27th Nov., Coal -Carlowitz PROSPERITY, Siamese bark, 476, D. Michaelsen, August 21th,-Bangkok 11th August, General.—Chinese.

RAMIER, French brig, 280, Jarvary, 23rd Nov. Newchwang 10th Nov., Beans. - Carlowitz. RAVEN, British bark, 344, Whiting, 14th Nov., —Newchwang 3rd November, Beans.—Ed.

Schellhass & Co. SAMUEL D. CARLETON American bark 884 Geo. A. Freeman, October oth, Newcastle. N.S.W., 10th August, Coal.—Order, SATBUMA, British bark, 364, Lord, 25th Nov. Whampoa 24th Nov., General,—Ed. Schell

HONGKONG-SAILING VESSRLS.

(Continued.) SOLIDOR, British bark, 240, C. Schroder, 28th Nov.,-Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans.-

Solveic, Norwegian bark, 602, Olsen, 6th Nov., -Newchwang 29th October, Beans.-Ed. Schellhass & Co. Dec.,-Canton 30th Nov., General.-Butter- Sr. IDEUC, French bark, 388, F. Durand, 16th field & Swire. November,-Newchwang 7th Nov., Beans.

-Carlowitz & Co. TALEE, German bark, 342, C. Stolze, 29th Nov., -Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans,-Siemssen & Co.

TEK Li, British barque, 400, L. G. Buckholdt, 15th Nov.,-Bangkok 18th October, Rice.-THOON KRAMOM, Siamese bark, 475, T. W.

Rice.—Siemssen & Co. REE BROTHERS, British bark, 366, H. Kahlke, Swatow 22nd October, General.-Ee Tyc VALPARAISO, German' bark, 486, F. Meyer, 27th

Nov.,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans .- Ed. Schellhass & Co. Young Siam, Siamese ship, 701, W. Saxtorph 20th Nov.,-Bangkok 7th Oct., General.-Chinese.

CANTON.

PEKING, British steamer, 954, G. H. Drewes, 28th Nov., -Shanghai 25th Nov., General. -Siemssen & Co.

WHAMPOA.

MINERVA, German brig, 319, P. Duhme, 28th Nov.,-Newchwang 17th Nov., Beans .-Melchers & Co. -SAN FRANCISCO, German schooner, 251, A. Oltmann, 19th Nov.,-Newchwang 8th Nov.

Beans. - Siemssen & Co... I. D. Brewer, American bark, 962, W. L. Josselyn, 19th Nov., -Shanghai 15th November, Rice.—Captain.

RIVER STEAMERS.

Hankow, British steamer, 2,235, Ogston.—But-CATHERINE MARDEN, British 3-m. sch., 287, W. Ho-nam, British steamer, 1,377, T. Benning.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes .-

Kiu-kiang, British steamer, 617, A. Benning,-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co Kiung-chow, British steamer, 159, Goggin .-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Powan, British steamer, 1,890, Hoyland-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. ton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. White Cloud, British steamer, 527.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Yot-sai, British steamer, 180, Lefavor-Hong-

kong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.

In Port on 25th November, 1882. Alex. Newton, British bark, 308 (Newton)-Boyd Assens, Danish bark, 235 (Vandel)-H. A. Pe-Cingalce, British bark, 336 (Pringle)-Pasedag Emily, British brig, 296 (Crichton)-Boyd & Co. H. Bremer, German schooner, 332 (Bremer)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Juno, German bark, 266 (Nielsen)-Pasedag Magenta, British schooner, 329 (Coalfleet)-Pasedag & Co. Nicoline, German schooner, 331 (Mahlmann) Pasedag & Co. Oscar Mooyer, German bark, 360 (Johannsen)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Rachel, British bark, 282 (Affleck)-Boyd & Co. Siberien, German bark, 365 (Schultz)-H. A Petersen & Co.

Vagrien, German schooner, 179 (Debbern)-H. A. Petersen & Co. FOOCHOW.

In Port on 24th November, 1882. Mozart, German brig, 350 (Storm)-Kaw Hong

> SHANGHAL. In Port on 25th November, 1882.

Take & Co.

Anglo-Indian, British bark, 444 (Graham)-Drysdale. Ringer & Co. Antwerp, British bark, 1,091 (Smith)-Frazar Brenda, British brig, 290 (Swenson)-Mackenzie

Chingtah, Chinese bark, 472 (Taylor)-C. M. Foochow, Slamese bark, 301, (Guldberg)-Siems-15th Nov.,-Newchwang 4th Nov., Beans.- Guiding Star, British bark, 311 (Schintger)-John Bunyan, British bark, 1,139 (Hilton)-C. & J. Trading Co.

John Potts, British bark, 373 (Brown)-Melchers Kolga, British bark, 541.—Russell & Co. Leander, British bark, 846 (Hamilton)-Mel-Louisc, German schooner, 245 (Schierloch)-Ed. Schellhass & Co.

Martha, British bark, (McPearson)-Morris & Saturn, German bark, 483 (Maas)-Primrose Star of India, British bark, 1,040 (Parslow)-Tetuan, British bark, 437 (Hyne)-J. J. Buch-Zebina Goudey, British bark, 1,037 (Cook)-Melchers & Co.

YOKOHAMA. In Port on 18th November, 1882.

Ada, British schooner, 73 (J. Goldie)-H. Cook. Alert, American bark, 1,154 (Fraser, Farley & Black Diamond, German bark, 670 (Boyd)-P. & Co. Diana, American schooner, 75 (Peterson)-Cap-Elmiranda, Amer. bark. 656 (Staples)-Walsh, Hall & Co. Else, German brig, 287 (Holm)—P. Bohm. Frank Carvill, British ship, 1,489 (Chapman)-

Helena, American schooner, 40 (Bischof)-M. Ohude, American sch., 40 (Wilson)-Captain. Osaka, British bark, 527 (Lowe)-Corner & Co. Oswald, German bark, 445 (Boysen)-P. Bohm. Otome, American schooner, 52 (W. Hardy)-Snow & Co. Otter, American schooner, 60 (Littlejohn)-J. E. Otsego, American schooner, 36, (E. Pearce)-

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Queen Emma, British bark, 314 (W. Dow)-Royal Tar, Britishbark, 598 (Scott)-O. & O. Co. Sophle, Russian brig. 330 (P. Lemascheffey) Advertising Medium in the Colony, 30

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For Nagasaki and Kobe.—Per Niigata Maru, on Friday, the 8th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki and Yokohama.—Per Banga-

lore, on Friday, the 15th instant, at 11:30 A.M. The Postal Guide published in 1879 being now somewhat out of date, a revised issue is printed in the Hongkong Directory and Hong List for the Far East for 1882, which super-sedes all previous editions.

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with the name of the ship, and prepaid to centa per half ounce as usual. The Post Office then undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of depar-ture and despatching the correspondence. It is 207 requested that the letters be posted if possible at least one day before the date fixed for sailing. TEA MUSTERS. Persons who send Musters of Tea through the Post in Tins are requested to have their made flat or square instead of round, as it is impossible to pack round tins securely in the mail bags. It is

post the letters in the ordinary way, marked

flat tins, which are not so liable as round ones to be bulged in. 4 by 3 by 14 inches is suggested as a good size. The tins should not have sharp No responsibility can be accepted in this Department for erroneous replies to verbal enquiries. or to notes addressed to subordinate officers The shroffs told off to sell Stamps should espe-

believed that the tea will travel more safely in

cially not be regarded as able to give concerning information. The Postal Guide alone is the Standard on all points on which such information But not Warrent Officers, vis. :- Conductor, Classes Bonne

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